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## THE WORLD'S NEWS.

SINCE LAST THURSDAY, CAREFULLY ASSORTED AND CONDENSED FOR BUSY PEOPLE.

State.

Durham is to have an ice factory.

During January there were only 14 deaths in Raleigh.

The discovery of gold is reported from Nash County.

Evangelist Life will, on March 1, begin a meeting at Wilson.

Ex-Governor A. M. Scales died at his residence in Greensboro Tuesday night, after a long illness.

J. R. Noland, general manager of the Southern Railway, has tendered his resignation, to take effect March 1st.

The Newcomb Lumber Mills of Goldsboro were totally destroyed by fire last Friday. Mr. L. S. D. Sain, the proprietor, has since made an assignment.

Governor Holt has appointed Geo. A. Shuford, Esq., Superior Court Judge for the Twelfth Judicial District, to succeed Judge James H. Merrimon, resigned.

A Lumberton special reports that a young man tore out a mule's tongue. The animal had become contrary and while the man was expostulating he grabbed the mule's tongue, which protruded, and tore it out.

A curious story is told by the Clinton Free Press of a man in Lenoir county who can write but can't read. His wife can spell but can't read nor write. Together they can write a letter, which is legible, but which neither can read. He writes down the words as she spells them.

One Peter Cobb was taken to the penitentiary to serve a sentence of 16 years, having been convicted of committing several burglaries along the Wilmington and Weldon railroad. In his possession was found a lot of jewelry taken from the store of Geo. L. Parker, at Rocky Mount and a lot of dry goods stolen from Ed Grady's store at Mount Olive.

The Republican State Executive Committee met at Raleigh. There was much discussion as to whether the convention could nominate candidates for the State officers, or elect delegates to the National Convention. It was, by a large majority, decided that it should only elect delegates, and that the nominating convention should be held later. April 14th is the date and Raleigh the place.

National.

Two negroes were lynched in Alabama a few days ago for robbing and burning a store.

The Massachusetts House of Representatives passed a bill prohibiting the use of free passes by legislators.

The committee of fifty appointed by the anti-premature convention meeting at Cooper Union has opened headquarters and many men from other sections of the State are co-operating with them in their opposition to the convention of the 22nd inst.

Foreign.

The reported revolt of troops at Montevideo is contradicted.

Ferdinand, Count Blucher, a great-grandson of the famous General, died in New York in destitute circumstances.

A cablegram from Berlin says the Empress Augusta Victoria is still queen of the temptations to make have been abandoned.

FOR DISTILLERS.

The National House Amends the Internal Revenue Law.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—A bill that will interest the people throughout the distilling section of the South was reported favorably to the House to-day by Mr. Dismick, of Indiana, from the Judiciary Committee. It is substantially the bill introduced by Mr. Henderson, of North Carolina, to amend the internal revenue laws.

Section 1 abolishes what are known as minimum punishments as is intended to discourage frivolous prosecutions.

Section 2 provides that no warrants in internal revenue cases can be issued upon an affidavit making charges "upon information and belief," unless made by certain officials, and also makes more stringent the law relating to fees of court officers with the view of removing some of the temptations to make cases for fees to be derived therefrom.

Section 3 requires warrants to be made returnable to the nearest Federal Commissioners or other officials.

Section 4 gives to the Attorney General a veto upon the appointment of United States Commissioners and the power of summary removal of Commissioners.

Section 5 empowers the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, to discontinue or compromise civil and criminal cases.

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## THE EDITOR'S CHAIR.

## HOW THINGS LOOK FROM OUR STAND POINT.

The Opinion of The Editor and the Opinion of Others which we Can Endorse on the Various Topics of the Day.

## HOW CAN SUCH THINGS BE?

Rich in everything except money, and poor with everything for the want of money. This is the condition of the South to-day. It is the condition of the farmer. Money is not wealth. It is simply a medium for exchanging wealth. Our people have the wealth and would be prosperous if they had this convenient medium for exchanging the wealth. Then is it not a crime in the government not to furnish it? Is it not a crime to turn over the managing of this essential instrument of commerce to a few individuals and allow them to manage it for their own private gain to the detriment of every wealth producer in the land? Is it not a crime to allow high rates of interest to be charged so that the profits of honest and hard-working toilers are eaten up by the money lenders? Yes, it is a crime, and a crime that must soon stop or complete degradation and poverty will dry up the springs of prosperity at its very source, and then revolution would come. Which shall it be? These are momentous questions for the voter and the statesman.

## THE KEY TO PURE DEMOCRACY.

The Atlanta Constitution in discussing the political outlook and the probable nominees for the Presidency says:

"The candidate must of necessity be satisfactory to New York—therefore, the candidate that New York selects or settles on will be selected by the Democratic convention."

We hope the Constitution does not speak for the people of Georgia. A candidate that is satisfactory to New York will not be satisfactory to North Carolina, nor do we believe to the whole South and West. The convention may nominate the man New York selects, but his chances of being elected would be very doubtful. For a quarter of a century, we have had a kind of harmony between the New England Democracy(?) and the South and Southern Democracy, by the South in every case submitting to the dictation of New England. In this way we have ourselves been parties to fostering a system that has worked great discrimination and detriment to our section. Shall we do it longer? For one we will not. The candidate that is satisfactory to New York is unsatisfactory to us. We want a candidate who by education, experience and training is in sympathy with the interests of the South and West, the two sections whose interests are identical and who must fight together for equal justice. The Democracy of the future must champion the cause of the South and West.

## HISTORY OF FINANCIAL LEGISLATION FOR THIRTY YEARS.

The article that appeared in THE CAUCASIAN a few weeks ago in reference to the infamous bond swindle, by which the public debt was greatly increased, by which more taxes were levied upon the people without value received, and by which the bond-holders and bankers have pocketed millions of dollars, has attracted much attention. We have been asked and received letters calling for more information on this line. It is difficult to explain or to understand the infamous and corrupt legislation that has been perpetrated upon the people, unless the various measures are taken up and consecutively considered in connection. Therefore as soon as we can find the time, we will begin a series of articles on the Financial Legislation of the Government for the last thirty years. If our readers will follow these articles closely they will get considerable insight to the corruption at Washington and the causes that have in a large measure brought about the present depressed condition of affairs.

While we advocate diversity of crops we also believe that the people should diversify some in politics. They should put men in public offices who will represent them and not the moneyed interests of the country. Too much indifference and negligence in the past, have brought the country to its present condition.—Teachers' Advocate.

In the death of Ex-Gov. A. M. Scales, the State loses one of its most honored and beloved citizens. A man of kind feeling and generous nature. He served his people well in war, in legislation halls and in the Governor's chair. The people of the whole State will mourn their loss.

## STRAIGHT TALK FROM A REPRESENTATIVE MAN.

Read the following extract from the Statesville Landmark and then think a minute and you will see to what straight the enemies of the Alliance are put and the little game they are trying to play:

"The Landmark had an entertaining conversation, Tuesday, with J. D. Clark, Esq., of Chambersburg township, ex-member of the legislature and now chairman of his township executive committee, in the course of which he said that the Alliance, as it originally existed, commended itself to him in all respects, but that it has been entirely perverted from its original objects and so has left him. So long as it was a farmers' association, assigned to advance the interests of the farmers, and now that it has become a personal machine which is being worked to promote the political interests of certain individuals, he has no sympathy with its aims and is prepared to say that it is doing the country, and particularly the farmers, injury. 'Square Click is for the free coinage of silver, and says that Cleveland's attitude to this question is the only objection the Alliance has to him, and that after all he is not certain that Cleveland does not know better than he does what is best for the country. He has no stock whatever in the sub treasury a home, and says that the Democratic party and old-fashioned Democratic principles are good enough for him.'"

Now Square Click may be a good man, as good a man as there is in Ireddell county, but we are sure of one thing, that he does not know much about the Alliance, except what he has learned from reading the Landmark and papers of that kind. In fact we are sure that he does not know what the fight is about. He says (if the Landmark quotes him correctly) that the organization is simply a "personal machine." Now we call upon him and the Landmark to say whose personal machine it is. This statement is a slander upon thousands of earnest, intelligent, honest and hard-working citizens; and these same farmers will pity his ignorance and littleness when he says that the organization is an injury to the farmers themselves. He is reported to say that he is for the free coinage of silver, but his next statement shows that he has not the courage of his convictions, for he is willing to give up what convictions he may have if Mr. Cleveland says so. He says that Cleveland's position on the silver question is the only objection the Alliance has to him. We don't believe that a man who expresses himself as Square Click has (or is reported) can speak for the Alliance of Ireddell county. But when he says that he is opposed to the Sub Treasury, the Landmark is happy. It is that part of his statement that makes his opinion valuable to that paper. Well the number who are opposed to that great fundamental plank which is the remedy we offer to correct the great evil of evils, is so small that the Landmark can afford to give each one of them considerable space. They are so scarce that it is a great price of news to find one and the fact must be published. The last statement that Square Click is reported to have made was "that old fashioned Democratic principles are good enough for him," is ridiculously amusing or rather it is sad. For it sounds like Square Click has a good heart and an honest purpose, but shows that he has been woefully misled. It shows conclusively, as we said in the beginning, that he has never known what the fight for reform was about. If the old fashioned Jeffersonian principles of Democracy had not been perverted, the Alliance would never have come into existence. The Alliance as it stands to-day is a protest against the perversion of Democracy. We challenge Square Click, the Landmark and all other opponents of reform to show a single principle of Democracy as promulgated and advocated by Jefferson that the Alliance (the so-called "personal machine") does not endorse and advocate. We pause for an answer to the challenge.

## THE R. R. COMMISSION.

Maj James W. Wilson, chairman of the North Carolina railroad commission says that while the railroad commission of North Carolina has only been established about ten months, they have increased the assets in tax valuation of railroad property in the State about \$6,000,000, and, by regulating the telegraph tariffs and reducing passenger fares and freight charges, have saved to the people between four and five hundred thousand dollars.

## A NEW CONVERT.

Postmaster General Wanamaker is another calamity howler. He wants the government to own telegraph and telegraph lines, and to establish postal savings banks.

Our circulating medium has been contracted from two billions at the close of the war to one and a half billion dollars at present, while the population has increased from thirty-five to sixty-four millions.

The Washington correspondent of the Richmond Times says: "Virginia and North Carolina members are busily employed in distributing seeds from the Agricultural Department among their constituents. It is understood that the gallant Mr. Grady, the 'ladies' man' of the North Carolina delegation, addressed his entire quota of seed to the ladies of his district."

Why are these things? If You Can't Answer the Question, Why Not?

The person who can't think is an idiot.

The person who won't think is a fool.

The person who fears to think is a coward.

The person who dares to talk about evils and suggests remedies is a patriot.

In the United States seventy persons are worth \$700,000,000—and less than fifty of these can control the currency and commerce of the country on a day's notice. One hundred are worth \$300,000,000 and 24,000 own over one-half of the total wealth. The census shows that the railroads of the country own 128,000,000 acres of land, and foreign and domestic syndicates \$4,000,000 ranking a total of 212,000,000.

In New York city 10,000 of the 2,000,000 inhabitants own nearly the whole city, and only 13,000 own any real estate.

In Chicago—population 1,200,000 less than three and one-half per cent own all the real estate.

There are 12,000,000 workmen in this country adding to its wealth at the rate of \$7 per day, but they get less than \$1 each. Who gets the other \$6?—Porcupine.

The farmer is a pretty little thing when he stays at home and votes as he is directed, but he becomes a monster when he accepts an office for himself.—Nelson (Neb.) Herald.

A producer produces wealth. A financier gathers wealth.—Rensselaer (Ind.) Pilot.

LET THE PEOPLE COME TOGETHER.

They Can Win Without New York and New England.

The assertion is often made that the country is so near equally divided between the two political parties upon sectional prejudice that New York holds the key to the situation and wields a balance of power in the interest of plutocracy. In order to show how much foundation in fact there is for this statement the following table is presented. The vote of the State of Michigan is divided because under the new law in that State it will probably be so cast. The practically certain presidential vote in States is:

Republican.	Democratic.
California, 9	Alabama, 11
Colorado, 8	Arkansas, 8
Illinois, 24	Connecticut, 6
Kansas, 10	Delaware, 3
Maine, 6	Florida, 9
Michigan, 13	Georgia, 13
Minnesota, 13	Kentucky, 13
Missouri, 13	Louisiana, 13
Nebraska, 13	Madison, 13
Nevada, 13	Michigan, 13
Ohio, 23	Maryland, 8
Pennsylvania, 23	Mississippi, 13
Rhode Island, 23	Missouri, 13
Vermont, 12	New Jersey, 10
Wisconsin, 12	North Carolina, 11
Idaho, 3	Tennessee, 12
Montana, 3	Texas, 12
North Dakota, 12	Virginia, 12
South Dakota, 4	West Virginia, 6
Washington, 4	Wyoming, 6
Wyoming, 6	Total, 181

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The doubtful States are: New York, 35; Massachusetts, 15; New Hampshire, 4; Indiana, 15, and Iowa, 13, making 83 doubtful votes to decide the tie. It will be seen by this that all the bosses have to do in order to place a key in the hands of Tammany is to make a trade on Indiana and Iowa, so that one shall go Republican and the other Democratic, just exactly as they did last fall between New York and Ohio, when the Democrats in Ohio threw off on Campbell and the Republicans in New York threw off on Fassett. With Indiana and Iowa in opposite lines, New York is Supreme. In fact unless the three States of Massachusetts, Indiana and Iowa all go solid for one party, New York rules the nation. The remedy is that the West and South, as a purely agricultural district should stand together. Two hundred and twenty three votes is a majority, and it may and should naturally be had in the following States:

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Rhode Island, 23	Montana, 3
Vermont, 12	North Dakota, 12
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Montana, 3	Total, 324

These States would give a majority of 103, and if they could be induced to act together could control the election, even if they lost California, Colorado, Washington, Wyoming, Indiana, Nevada, Ohio, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, and still have a majority of 22.—National Economist.

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It cures quickly. For sale by all Dealers in medicine. Get the genuine.

## News from Washington.

NOTES AND ITEMS FROM CONGRESS AND WHAT IT IS DOING.

Some Bills Introduced.—Personal Mention.

It is about settled that the first bill reported from the House Ways and Means Committee will be that placing binding-twine, an agricultural necessity, on the free list.

The House committee on Territories has practically decided to report bills for the admission of Arizona and New Mexico as States. Capt. S. B. Alexander, of North Carolina, who is at the Metropolitan said last night to a Post reporter: "These cities that are full of money don't seem to realize the scarcity of money in the rural district. It is the present mode of distribution of the money that causes the demand for the increased circulation. The collateral that the farmers have is negotiable out of the sections in which they reside; this causes a stringency of money at the time of making the crops and forces the farmers to pay ruinous time prices for their supplies."

The People's party in the House of Representatives has joined with the free coinage people in demanding the prompt consideration of the Bland bill.

The free silver men in the House of Representatives are making strenuous efforts to have action taken on the Bland bill.

An effort will be made to induce this Congress to suppress the cigarette trade by imposing a tax of \$10.00 per thousand on all imported and domestic cigarettes.

The Senate Agricultural committee will report on Monday a resolution favoring the appointment of a committee to investigate the agricultural condition of the country. Mr. H. M. Hunt, of N. C., has introduced a bill to apply the patent system, which has resulted in the stimulation of invention, to the domain of agriculture, with the hope of bringing about equally beneficial effects. A bill introduced by him Friday provides that any person who has invented or discovered any new and useful plant, fruit, or flower may patent the invention or discovery upon application with the present patent law requirements, with the exception that the applicant shall be made to the Secretary of Agriculture instead of to the Commissioners of Patents.

Senator Turpie has made a strong argument in favor of such a change in the Constitution of the United States as would permit a vote of the people for United States Senators. In making this change one step further should be taken and the following table is presented. The vote of the State of Michigan is divided because under the new law in that State it will probably be so cast. The practically certain presidential vote in States is:

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# THE CAUCASIAN.

CLINTON, N. C., FEB. 18, 1892.

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### NOTICE!

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L. C. HUBBARD, Clinton, N. C., Feb. 10, 1892.—31

I shall soon leave for the North to buy new Goods. We must have room, therefore we are selling for cost. Yours for Bargains, M. HANSTEIN.

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### SPECIAL NOTICE!

Our entire stock of Goods is now offered at New York cost for cash. Our books are closed and all accounts are due and must be paid. We mean just what we say. Oct. 22-41 W. M. A. JOHNSON.

Those owing us will please make immediate payment as we need the money. Very respectfully, WATSON & PETERSON, Oct. 1, 1891.

A Reward of \$500 Will be paid for any Case of Rheumatism which cannot be cured by Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedy. This offer is made in good faith by the proprietors, and there is no reasonable excuse for any one to suffer longer. Any ordinary case will be cured by one bottle. In addition to the reward for difficult cases, the money is always returned where the remedy fails to cure. The price of a bottle is \$5.00, and that is the cost of a cure. Drummond Medicine Co., 48 50 Maiden Lane, New York.

## Index to New Advertisements.

Notice—Matthew J. Bradshaw. New Discovery by Accident—Bargains in Spring—W. S. Partrick. Sale of Valuable Land—E. B. Parker & Co.

### LOCALS.

—Messrs. Claude Holliday and W. H. Duncan will try their trucking luck this spring.

—Mr. J. R. Register had quite a large hen egg in town this week, measuring around 8x6 inches, and weighing several ounces.

—The negro boy, who broke in the house of Mr. Levi Kennedy was caught down about Rose Hill Tuesday. He was brought here yesterday.

—Let those who wish an able, clean, live and strong magazine, subscribe for the Arena (see our notice). We will give a sample copy for every new cash subscriber. Price of single copy 50 cts.

—Capt. W. T. Dorich and Mr. John Hill of Goldsboro spent a few days last week with Mr. R. G. Morisey for a big bird hunt. They were quite successful in both finding and bagging birds.

—Mr. W. S. Partrick is receiving new dress goods and shoes every day. He has a full line, new, stylish, and cheap and he asks those interested in buying to examine his stock. See his ad.

—We call attention of our readers to the advertising in the paper, for those who want your trade will ask for it. The business locals are a good index for you to consult when you wish to buy anything here.

—Those holding claims against the Bank here would have to present a copy of their claims, and a sworn statement of same. Blank copies and forms for statement can be had at THE CAUCASIAN office. You will save trouble by getting them.

—We are very sorry to know that the fine house of Mr. Cameron Highsmith's was burned last Sunday night. Nearly everything he had was lost, and no insurance. It is supposed that the fire caught from a stove pipe. This is quite a heavy loss, and we sympathize with Mr. Highsmith.

—Mr. C. Ward at Post office has instructions from Post Office Department to weigh all the mail that comes in and leaves the office for the next 30 days, so as to give an average. This will be heavy work for him in addition to large number of money orders he has to issue, caused by our not having a bank here.

—Are we to have a Bank? has been asked several times. We hope so. But what are the business men of Clinton going to do, is the question. It is not a fancy, but a necessity with us. Our business demands it. We are outgrowing ourselves, and inconveniencing many others by not taking the necessary steps. What shall we do?

—Business men advertise solely for the purpose of increasing their trade, and probably few of them measure the benefits of their investment in this line other than by its direct returns. Nevertheless, there is a positive though indirect advantage gained by liberal advertising aside from that which results in drawing immediate customers for the wares described. The character of a town or city is estimated largely from its newspapers, and strangers gain a favorable or unfavorable impression of a place according as these papers show enterprise or the lack of it on the part of the residents. Free and liberal advertising means enterprise, wide-awake merchants and manufacturers, and the presence of such men is the best recommendation a town can have. Advertising attracts customers, but it attracts outside investors as well and helps to build up the place. THE CAUCASIAN new has a much larger and wider circulation, than ever before, and the more advertisements it contains of private business concerns the more public interests are served.

### Premium Offer.

To every one who will send us in a new cash subscriber we will give a copy of that great reform Magazine THE AURORA. We give the Magazine to the one who sends the name. See ad. of this Magazine in another column. To every one who will send us in a club of ten new cash subscribers we will send this Magazine a whole year, commencing with the January number, containing in addition to a hundred able articles, Hamlin Garland's great story, "A Spoil in Office," the finest picture of farm life and the best presentation of the great issues of the day we have yet seen; and we will send any other Magazine desired. For three new cash subscribers, we will give a copy of "Main Travelled Roads" or any other 50 cent book advertised in this paper.

Attention, Sampson Light Infantry! Each and every member are earnestly requested to be present at the Army at 10 o'clock, on Friday, March 4th. Failure to do so may, and probably will, disband said company. Each member is requested to see some good man and bring him in for membership. It is my desire to raise the company to fifty or sixty men by that time. I ask your hearty co-operation in the work. Signed, T. H. PARTRICK, Feb. 11-31 Captain.

### Quarterly Examination.

The Raleigh State Chronicle says: President Marion Butler, of the State Alliance, and Messrs. S. B. Alexander, J. M. Mewborn and J. S. Johnston, its executive committee, are here making the quarterly examination of the offices of Secretary Barnes and Business Agent Worth.

### Assignment of Mr. J. H. Stevens.

We are very sorry to learn of the assignment of our townsman, Mr. James H. Stevens. Owing to heavy securities he made his assignment in order to protect his private debts. Dr. J. H. Stevens is assigned, and we are glad to know that the assets will cover the liabilities.

## Personals.

Misses Langdon Holliday and Agnes Partrick attended church at Newton Grove Sunday.

Mr. William Lane was in town this week.

We are very sorry to hear of the extreme illness of Mrs. Ferrell.

Mr. W. A. Dunn is attending Halifax court this week.

Miss Sadie Faison is spending a few days with Miss Mittie Beaman.

Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Lee were visiting in Goldsboro last week.

C. M. Cook, District attorney was in town for two days last week.

Mrs. R. J. Williams, has returned from a visit to Wilmington and her sister Mrs. F. G. Grady at Wallace.

Miss Carrie and Minnie Johnson, left Thursday for the Boston Conservatory of music, where they are to complete their very high musical education.

Miss Addie Gregory, of Clinton, having spent a few days in the city with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Nutting, returned home yesterday, accompanied by little Miss Elnora Nutting—Messenger.

Mrs. I. J. McMillan who has been visiting her father, Mr. J. T. Gregory, left last Thursday for her home in Ga.

Little Miss Mamie Bell has come in town to attend school. She is boarding at Mr. W. H. Duncan's.

We are glad to learn that Mrs. A. F. Johnson is recovering from her sickness.

Miss Katie Lee Hill of Warsaw has returned from a visit to Mrs. Capt. Holmes.

Mrs. Wm. and Miss Jessie Boyette were on a visit to Dr. Frank Boyette this week.

Mr. T. M. Lee is on the sick list, we are sorry to know.

Mr. A. W. Middleton of Wilmington paid our merchants a visit this week.

Mrs. L. P. Barbary has returned from visiting relatives and friends in Wilmington.

Mrs. Levi Moore of Duplin is visiting her sister Mrs. Herring, near town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morisey of Cumberland are visiting Mr. Wm. A. Faison.

Mrs. M. E. Morisey is visiting in Wilmington.

### Alliance Meetings, Etc.

President Butler, after attending the meeting of the State Executive Committee in Raleigh last week went to the northern part of the State on a lecturing tour. He spoke yesterday at Roxboro, the county seat of Person county. He speaks to-morrow at Fayetteville.

The District delegates will join him at Greensboro Friday night, when they will leave for St. Louis, to attend the great Industrial Conference of all Labor and Farmer Organizations of the United States. President Butler will write a letter to THE CAUCASIAN from St. Louis. Don't fail to read it.

### Will Tobacco Pay?

Mr. Egbert Watson planted about three acres of tobacco last year, from which he realized a profit of \$293, after paying the expense of freight, commissions, etc., in selling it. Now, if we are to stop planting cotton, is it not a pertinent question with farmer's what crop to plant with which to realize cash money? Why not try tobacco? \$100 per acre will beat cotton.

### Assignment at Harrell's Store.

Mr. B. L. Peterson doing business at Harrell's Store, made an assignment this week to Mr. G. W. DeVane. The liabilities are about \$4,500. We are not able to learn the assets.

We are very sorry to learn of Mr. Peterson's misfortune, and we hope by his same energy and enterprise will soon pass off his trouble.

### The Bank.

Mr. Dunn has been at work principally getting his books and other matters straight so as to work systematically and rapidly. He is collecting as fast as possible, and hopes to pay a dividend in the early spring.

### Roseboro Dots.

We regret to learn of the serious illness of Miss Mamie Highsmith of Hives, N. C. She has been confined to her bed for two weeks with paralysis.

Rev. A. J. Parker, is quite sick with La Grippe, we hope to see him out again soon.

The Baptist church at this place in cause of erection was blown down to a stump, and is a complete wreck.

Mr. James Boyette of Dunn gave his friends here a call today.

It was Mr. J. T. McKinnin that returned from Ga., and not Prof. I. F. McKinnin as the paper has said. The McKinnin family in this section of the county are preparing for farming another year, and we are glad to say they will not buy as much guano and plaid as much cotton in the last year and will depend on other crops and home made manure, and when they do that they will see better times and more money in the country.

### Some News from Trinity College.

BY A SAMPSON BOY. [Special Correspondent.] TRINITY COLLEGE, N. C., Feb. 15.

Mr. Editor—A very serious accident happened to ex-Senator J. J. White, of this county a few days ago. In falling a tree a limb split from the body of it and struck him, knocking him senseless for a while. On examination it was discovered that one of his legs was broken, and the other bruised and badly injured. He is improving moderately well.

Mr. Merritt, who received a severe cut on the foot a few weeks ago at this place, is rapidly improving. He has undergone some painful operations on his foot and leg, in order that the accumulated pus might escape. We hope he will be up in a few more weeks, ready to resume his studies, and that his sickness will not be long enough to keep him from graduating with the class of '93. His father, Mr. A. B. Merritt, has been spending the past week with him, but he will return home to-morrow. T. T. J.

Blotches, Old Sores, Ulcers and all skin eruptions cured by P. P. P., the greatest blood purifier of the age.

### Bladen Items.

(Special Correspondent.) WINNIE, N. C., Feb. 15th, '92.

We have five store in White Oak and all seem to be thriving.

Mr. J. T. Beck went to Fayetteville last week and his horse was taken sick and died just below Fayetteville.

The farmers in this section say they are going to plant less cotton and buy less fertilizer.

Mr. John Jones has built a very nice dwelling house and Leonard Leap Year will soon find him a married man.

Mr. J. B. Register is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Register are visiting Mr. J. S. Williamson.

Rev. D. C. Geddie preached a fine sermon at Bladenboro to a large congregation the 14th instant. L. M. S.

### A Card.

I desire to say to my friends and the public generally that I have accepted I position with Mr. T. M. Ferrell, whom I shall be pleased to see and wait on there. I desire that they will call on me at this place of business.

Very respectfully, Feb. 4-11. G. W. BENNETT.

## DUPLIN COUNTY.

(Special Correspondent.) MAGNOLIA NOTES.

Miss Lizzie Whitfield of Seven Springs who was called home a short time since by the sudden death of her parents, has returned to her school. Many sympathetic friends welcome her back.

Mrs. T. R. Williams who has been very sick we are glad to say is up again.

Mrs. D. D. Wells, who was so very late in quite sick with La Grippe.

Mr. A. D. Alderman was hurt but not seriously, by a limb of a falling tree striking him, on last Tuesday.

Miss Laura Boone has a flourishing school at "Meadow Land Academy."

Miss Ellen Herring has returned home after a pleasant visit to relatives in lower Duplin.

We congratulate Messrs. Usher and Wells on being kept extremely busy at the present season, sawing lumber for the "gents" of this vicinity. We judge from the amount that they are hastily preparing "logs" in the "bird" of their eye might flit swiftly by and leap year only be a taken of "1892."

Marriage bells rang out on Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Register and Mr. Chas. Brice. A brilliant occasion. Happiness attend them.

Magnolia has had little if any mention in THE CAUCASIAN for some time. But we ourselves make it more important than to be so totally ignored.

We are moving pretty steadily, but not making very much "track" over our moving. Nearly everybody seems to be doing that something just according to clock work. Can't say according to sunrise, for I don't believe some of us have the sun in our eyes now, especially the Irish potato business. We only hope that some will have to say in the end that they are "stuck."

The trip is a prominent though not very popular visitor among us all the winter. But that is no news, since few sections have been slighted.

Mr. G. W. Brinkley, one of our leading merchants, is just convalescing from quite a severe attack of the grip.

Mrs. S. A. Stinson has been quite sick, but we are glad to know is some better for a few days.

Magnolia surely is growing, and it would grow more if those who have the capital would invest more in building several new families have moved in during the winter, and more out to some, but no vacant houses. "A word to the wise is sufficient." Will our moneyed men take hold? There are some inducements to be had for them.

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## ALL THROUGH SAMPSON.

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# NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Atlantic & N. C. Railroad.

TIME TABLE 19.  
To take effect 5 a. m., Wednesday,  
May 28th, 1890.

## GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Ar.	Lv.	Ar.	Lv.
Goldboro,	5:57	6:30	8:30	9:00
La Grange,	7:20	7:30	9:45	10:15
Falling Creek,	7:45	7:55	10:15	10:45
Kinston,	8:15	8:25	10:45	11:15
Oswell,	8:45	8:55	11:15	11:45
Dover,	9:15	9:25	11:45	12:15
Core Creek,	10:31	10:45	12:15	12:45
Tasacora,	11:00	11:15	12:45	1:15
Clark's,	11:17	11:30	1:15	1:45
Newbern,	12:15	12:30	1:45	2:15
Beverly,	3:27	3:40	2:15	2:45
Croatan,	3:45	3:55	2:45	3:15
Havlock,	4:08	4:18	3:15	3:45
Newport,	4:37	4:47	3:45	4:15
Wildwood,	4:51	5:01	4:15	4:45
Atlantic,	5:01	5:11	4:45	5:15
Marion Hotel,	5:23	5:33	5:15	5:45
Marion Hotel,	5:31	5:41	5:45	6:15

## GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Ar.	Lv.	Ar.	Lv.
Morehead Dpt,	6:45	7:00	10:15	10:45
Atlantic Hotel,	7:02	7:15	10:45	11:15
Marion Hotel,	7:18	7:30	11:15	11:45
Wildwood,	7:23	7:35	11:45	12:15
Newport,	7:40	7:50	12:15	12:45
Havlock,	7:51	8:00	12:45	1:15
Croatan,	8:07	8:15	1:15	1:45
Wildwood,	8:12	8:20	1:45	2:15
Newbern,	8:37	8:45	2:15	2:45
Clark's,	9:08	9:15	2:45	3:15
Tasacora,	9:18	9:25	3:15	3:45
Core Creek,	9:32	9:40	3:45	4:15
Dover,	9:48	9:55	4:15	4:45
Oswell,	9:59	10:05	4:45	5:15
Kinston,	10:10	10:15	5:15	5:45
Falling Creek,	10:26	10:30	5:45	6:15
La Grange,	10:40	10:45	6:15	6:45
Goldboro,	11:30	11:35	6:45	7:15

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# All Through Sampson.

What Sampsonians are Doing and Saying.

Send us the news from your township for this column. Every subscriber to this paper has a right and is requested to contribute items of news in "his" neighborhood for this column. We will not publish your name unless you desire it.

## NEWTON GROVE.

We are glad to know Beaver Dam school is getting along so well. It has 50 pupils in attendance. Prof. Fowler is universally liked and is giving us a good school.

Our planters are making earnest preparations for their crop. Some of them claim they are not going to plant any cotton.

Among the young men of this section we have and dude who says he is going to live on the income of his good looks this year.

We were pleased to hear from our old chum who is in Ga. He says THE CAUCASIAN is his companion and he is going to send it some news a little later. There are ten young men in two miles square who have gone this year to Georgia and Florida.

Owen Munk, a colored school teacher died here last week. He was a good negro. He was educated at Fayetteville and has since been teaching up here at his old home.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Frank Dameron is recovering from his late serious sickness.

## HONEYCUTTS.

Miss Maggie Williams of Chace has entered the Salem High School.

## PINEY GROVE.

We were sorry to hear that Mr. J. C. Miller came very near putting out his left eye a few days ago, but glad to know it is better. He is making decided improvements on his farm which he recently purchased of Mr. Gerry Weeks. He has planted potatoes for the northern market and will plant out a strawberry farm in the future. Things indicate that he does intend to stay by himself. Look out girls.

Mr. J. R. McPhail is back from Wilmington, where he has been to purchase his spring stock. He reports quite times in Wilmington. Every thing is on a stand still. Business is dull, cotton is low.

Mr. D. A. King who has been doing business at Poplar Grove for Mr. J. R. McPhail for the past two years will discontinue and Mr. E. E. Brewer will take charge of the business. His many friends will regret to see him leave.

Mr. J. H. Brewer who left this country about 2 years ago for Arkansas to seek his fortune, writes that he has recently been robbed of a purse of \$180. We were sad to learn of his misfortune.

Miss Lottie A. Bell recently left for Salem High School, where she will attend the spring session.

One of our neighbors tells us of quite a novelty. One of his mules can ring the bell for dinner as successfully as a person.

We do not think our farmers will use much gunpowder this season. They are wise in so doing.

We had a little snow on the morning of the 12th inst.

## CROSS EYED SAM.

DISMAL.

Troy, son of Mr. W. D. Spell cut his foot right badly not long ago. He will not be able to work in some time yet.

Mr. C. W. Holland also cut his big toe off, all except a small portion of cutis and cuticle. Dr. Cooper sewed it back, and it is doing as well as could be expected.

A story of a little girl (who came near getting drowned) comes to us from Cumberland county. She was the daughter of Mr. Parker. It happened this way, she was going to school, and with several of her play-mates was playing in a deep swamp, walking the foot logs. She became dizzy and fell in, and not being able to swim, the swift current was carrying her rapidly down stream. She sank and rose three times, at that instant a little boy (much less than herself, being the only one of the children in the crowd that could swim) jumped in and tried to bring her out. He struggled heroically but she was so much heavier than himself, that his efforts were in vain. He would not give it up however, but held on to her and fought the swift current like a little hero, until they reached a bridge some distance below, a man happened to be crossing at the time, and seeing them in the water, jumped in and rescued them.

Demost class No. 2 of Halls Chapel, held a contest at that place on the night of Feb. 6th. The medal was awarded to one of the fair contestants, Miss Mary R. Autry, and presented by Rev. T. B. Hall. The judges were Messrs. Huie Bain, G. G. G. and R. O. Autry.

Miss Carrie A. Strickland and Miss Maggie Gentry of Cumberland have been visiting in this country.

Girls don't forget that this is leap year. Bless you all,

# come along and see us, and we'll chat you the best we can.

"The rose is red the violet's blue, sugar is sweet, and so is you." Hit the grit old maid, maybe you'll find your match. Do your best, for it may be your last opportunity.

"GIL."

## TAYLOR'S BRIDGE.

Mr. D. W. Alderman, one of our old and highly esteemed citizens died last week from the grippe. Mr. Alderman was about 67 years old, a man well thought of by all, and one who will be sorely missed in his community. He lived a consistent member of the Baptist church. He was buried at his old home place.

## MCDANIEL'S.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Allen Royal, Thursday the 10th inst. Mr. Evander Hall to Miss Cornelia Royal. The happy couple will make their home at Parkersburg.

Miss Fannie Watson has just closed a very flourishing school at Oakdale Academy in this township, the school closed with satisfactory results.

Mr. Tommie Owen has accepted a position as clerk with Mr. Charlie Parker.

Miss Jennie Royal of Clinton township is visiting friends in this township.

Tar is being shipped to Wilmington in large quantities from this township.

SMON.

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## WOMAN'S SPHERE.

WOMAN'S LOVE.

Robt. G. Ingersol pays the tribute to woman's love.

The one thing in this world that is constant the one peak that rises above all clouds, the one window in which light forever burns, the one star that cannot quench its woman's love. It arises to the greatest heights, it sinks to the lowest depths, it forges the most cruel injuries. It is perennial of life, and grows in every clime; neither coldness nor neglect, harshness nor cruelty can extinguish it. A woman's love is the perfume of the heart. This is the real love that subdues the earth the love that has wrought all miracles in art, that gives us music all the way from the cradle song to the grand symphony that bears the soul away on wings of fire. A love that is greater than power, sweeter than life, and stronger than death.—American Farmer

## BRIDAL FANCIES.

Married in white, you have chosen all right;

Married in gray, you will go far away;

Married in black, you will wish yourself back;

Married in red you will wish yourself dead;

Married in green, ashamed to be seen;

Married in blue, he will always be true.

Married in pearl, you will live in a whirl;

Married in yellow, ashamed of your fellow;

Married in brown, you will live out of town;

Married in pink, your spirits will sink.

Miss Conway, principal of the Conway Institute, in Memphis, has introduced the daily newspaper as a text book into her classes.

In Venice there is a club of rich men pledged to marry poor girls.

If a man shamefully abuses his wife in Butts, Montana, half a yard of crape is tacked on his door as a gentle reminder to desist.

## Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best I ever used. Like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, says: "Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50 cents a bottle, at R. H. HOLLIDAY'S Drugstore, Clinton, N. C., and JOHN R. SMITH, druggist, Mt. Olive, N. C."

## A Gold Watch and \$204.

That is what every Agent receives who gets up a club on our \$1 per week plan.

Our 14-karat gold-filled cases are warranted for 20 years. Fine Elgin or Waltham movement. Stem wind and set. Lady's or Gent's size. Equal to any \$50 watch. To secure agents where we have none, we sell one of the Hunting Case Watches for the Club price \$28 and send C. O. D. by express with privilege of examination before paying for same. Our agent at Durham, N. C. writes: "Our Jewelers have consented they don't know how you can furnish such work for the money."

One good reliable agent furnished for each place. Write for particulars. EXPIRE WATCH CO., 48 and 50 Maiden Lane, New York.

## Neuralgic Persons

And those afflicted with nervousness resulting from care or overwork will be relieved by taking Broen's Iron Bitters. Genuine has trade mark and crossed red lines on wrapper.

# Alliance Department.

ALLIANCE NOTES, DISCUSSIONS AND THE DOINGS OF THE VARIOUS LODGES.

[The CAUCASIAN was adopted as the Official Organ of the Sampson County Alliance at the meeting in January 19th, 1889.]

## IREDELL COUNTY MEETING.

Mr. Editor—At a meeting of Ireddell County Alliance, held January the 14th, 1892, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Four of our Alliance brethren have signed non-Alliance addresses, which, as citizens, they had a right to do, if they so desired; and whereas, the enemies of our Order are making capital out of it, to the detriment of our organization; and whereas, the action of these brethren in signing this address was of their own responsibility, without any authority of the State Alliance, and we believe free from any desire or intention of injuring the Order; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Ireddell County Alliance in regular session, this, the 14th day of January, 1892, that we don't consider the address any more binding on the Alliance, than if it had been signed only by the five non-Alliance Democrats.

2. That we, the Ireddell County Alliance, do not endorse the address.

3. That we condemn the method adopted by the Democratic Executive Committee to make this address appear as being endorsed by the Alliance.

4. That we renew our pledge to stand by our Alliance demands; and that it is a duty for each member to vote for men who endorse these principles, and in any political party he may choose, and think best for carrying out these demands.

5. That a copy of these proceedings be sent to The Progressive Farmer, our State Organ, for publication, with a request for all reform papers in the State to copy. M. E. MAMSEY, Sec'y Ireddell County Alliance.

## A STATEMENT FROM THE NATIONAL SECRETARY.